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APPLICATION NUMBER FILING/RECEIPT DATE FIRST NAMED APPLICANT ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER 10/027,806 12/21/200 **Ronald Swanson CONFIRMATION NO. 9183** 28213 FORMALITIES LETTER GARY CARY WARE & FRIENDENRICH LL 4365 EXECUTIVE DRIVE COPY OF PAPERS \*OC000000007473336\* **SUITE 1600** ORIGINALLY FILED SAN DIEGO, CA 92121-2189 Date Mailed: 02/14/2002

### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$126.
  - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 561.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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**PATENT** 

Attorney Docket No.: DIVER1490-3

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Swanson, et al.

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Title:

NUCLEIC ACIDS AND PROTEINS FROM CENARCHAEUM SYMBOISUM

#### **BOX MISSING PARTS**

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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed February 14, 2002, enclosed are:

- 1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (2 pgs.);
- 2. Declaration for Patent Application (7 pgs.);
- 3. Power of Attorney by Assignee (2 pgs.);
- 4. Check in the amount of \$561.00 (check #505845);
- 5. Substitute drawings (6 pgs.); and
- 6. Return Postcard

#### **CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8**

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on April 2, 2002, in an envelope addressed to: BOX MISSING PARTS, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

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Enclosed is a check in the total amount of \$561.00, which includes \$65.00 for the surcharge fee, \$126.00 for 3 independent claims over 3, \$370.00 for the basic filing fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: April <u>15</u>, 2002

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